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MINISTRY OF LAW AND JUSTICE (Legislative Department)

New Delhi, the 30th May, 1988|Jyaistha 9, 1910 (Saka)

The following President's Act is published for general information:—

THE TAMIL NADU MUNICIPAL CORPORATION LAWS (AMENDMENT) ACT, 1988

No. 2 OF 1988

Enacted by the President in the Thirty-ninth Year of the Republic
of India:-

An Act further to amend the laws relating to the Municipal
Corporations in the State of Tamil Nadu.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Tamil Nadu
State Legislature (Delegation of Powers) Act, 1988, the President is
pleased to enact as follows:—

PART I

PRELIMINARY

1. (1) This Act may be called the Tamil Nadu Municipal Corporation
Laws (Amendment) Act, 1988.

(2) It shall come into force at once.

Short
title and
commenc-
ment.

**Amend-
ment of
section
55-B of
Tamil
Nadu
Act IV of
1919.**

**Amend-
ment of
section
82-A of
Tamil
Nadu
Act 15 of
1971.**

Amend-
ment of
schedule
VII to
Tamil
Nadu
Act 25 of
1981.

PART II

AMENDMENT TO THE MADRAS CITY MUNICIPAL CORPORATION ACT, 1919

2. In section 55-B of the Madras City Municipal Corporation Act, 1919, in sub-section (1), for the words "within a period of thirteen years and six months", the words "within a period of fourteen years and six months" shall be substituted.

PART III

AMENDMENT TO THE MADURAI CITY MUNICIPAL CORPORATION ACT, 1971

3. In sub-section (1) of section 62-A of the Madurai City Municipal Corporation Act, 1971, for the words "within a period of four years", the words "within a period of five years" shall be substituted.

PART IV

AMENDMENT TO THE COIMBATORE CITY MUNICIPAL CORPORATION ACT, 1981

4. In Schedule VII to the Coimbatore City Municipal Corporation Act, 1981, in sub-rule (a) of rule 4, for the words "within a period of seven years", the words "within a period of eight years" shall be substituted.

R. VENKATARAMAN,
President

S. RAMAIAH,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Reasons for the enactment

A draft Bill for enacting a single Municipal Corporation Act applicable to all the municipal corporations in the State is under preparation. In that connection, the constitution of Circle Committee and Mayor-in-Council set up, as obtaining in Calcutta Municipal Corporation and the decentralisation of the administrative set up of the corporation as obtaining in the Bombay Municipal Corporation are being taken into account. After the enactment of the proposed Act, the elections to the Municipal Corporations of the cities of Madras, Madurai and Coimbatore will be conducted which will take quite some time.

2. In the meanwhile, the terms for which Special Officers were appointed to the Municipal Corporations of the cities of Madras, Madurai and Coimbatore are due to expire between the 30th May, 1988 and the 29th July, 1988. In view of the above, it has become necessary to extend by one year the period for which the Special Officers were appointed. It has, therefore, become necessary to amend the Madras City Municipal Corporation Act, 1919 (Tamil Nadu Act IV of 1919), the Madurai City Municipal Corporation Act, 1971 (Tamil Nadu Act 15 of 1971) and the Coimbatore City Municipal Corporation Act, 1981 (Tamil Nadu Act 25 of 1981) suitably for the purpose.

3. Under the proviso to sub-section (2) of section 3 of the Tamil Nadu State Legislature (Delegation of Powers) Act, 1988, the President shall, before enacting any President's Act, whenever he considers it practicable to do so, consult the Committee constituted for the purpose consisting of the Members of both the Houses of Parliament. In view of the urgency of the matter, it is not practicable to consult the said Committee. This measure is, accordingly, being enacted without reference to the Committee.

R. L. PARDEEP,
*Joint Secretary to the Government of India,
Ministry of Urban Development.*

